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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR, ASAFT, GT

SUBJECT: AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT - GUATEMALAN REGISTERED AIR-CRAFT TG-LUS

1. JUNE 1976 ISSUE OF NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC MAGAZINE (VOL. 149, NO. 6, PAGE 820-821) PROTRAYS PHOTO OF SUBJECT RESCUE AIRCRAFT CRASHING INTO TRUCK WHILE MAKING LANDING ON MOUNTAIN HIGHWAY NEAR SANARATE.

2. U.S. DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) SAFETY INSTITUTE, AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION TRAINING CENTER, OKLAHOMA CITY, DESIRES TO USE AVAILABLE DETAILS OF THIS ACCIDENT IN THEIR TRAINING PROGRAM. FACTS MAY DEMONSTRATE PROBLEMS WHICH AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT INVESTIGATORS ENCOUNTER IN DETERMINING ACCIDENT CAUSE FACTORS AND PREVENTION. NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY HAS PROVIDED DOT ALL MATERIAL THEY HAVE INCLUDING 10 35MM COLOR SLIDES.

3. DOT HAS REQUESTED ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING COPY OF SUBJECT ACCIDENT REPORT. DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY DISCUSSING WITH APPROPRIATE GOVT CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITIES AND IF REPORT IS AVAILABLE, POUCH TO FAA UNCLASSIFIED

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